COMMONWEALTH BUREAU OF CENSUS AND STATISTICS

CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA

To be treated as strictly CONFIDENTIAL and NOT to be published, broadcast or cabled before 6 p.m. on FRIDAY, 22ND JULY, 1966.

CENSUS OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

30TH JUNE, 1966

FIELD COUNT STATEMENT NO. 2.- POPULATION : NAURU, NORFOLK ISLAND, CHRISTMAS ISLAND AND COCOS (KEELING) ISLANDS

This statement contains preliminary results of the Census of 30th June, 1966. It shows details of the population of the Australian external Territories of Nauru, Norfolk Island, Christmas Island and Cocos (Keeling) Islands.

The figures for 1966 have been compiled during the taking of the Census by census field personnel and as such are subject to amendment on completion of processing and subsequent tabulation. However, extensive changes to the details in this statement are not expected.

POPULATION : NAURU, NORFOLK ISLAND, CHRISTMAS ISLAND AND COCOS (KEELING) ISLANDS

Territory	Census 30th June, 1961			Census 30th June, 1966			Increase
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	
Nauru :- Indigenous Population	1,251	1,154	2,405	1,609	1,492	3,101	696
Non-Indigenous Population	1,768	440	2,208	2,087	868	2,955	747
TOTAL	3,019	1,594	4,613	3,696	2,360	6,056	1,443
Norfolk Island	421	423	844	566	586	1,152	308
Christmas Island	1,963	1,136	3,099	2,151	1,230	3,381	282
Cocos (Keeling) Islands	333	273	606	375	309	684	78

Details of the population of Papua-New Guinea will be issued as soon as they become available.

Statement No. 1, issued simultaneously with this statement, contains details of the population of the Australian Capital Territory and of the City of Canberra. It is expected that preliminary statistics of the population of each State and internal Territory of Australia will be issued in September, 1966.

K.M. ARCHER
COMMONWEALTH STATISTICIAN

COMMONWEALTH BUREAU OF CENSUS AND STATISTICS
CANBERRA, A.C.T. 22ND JULY, 1966

NOTE. - Inquiries concerning these statistics may be made in Canberra by telephoning 41971 extension 25.